## THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 29, 1859.

ORIGIN OF THE JUDGE'S BLACK CAP .- The practice of our Judges in putting on a black cap when they condemn a criminal to death. will be found, on consideration, to have a deep and sad significance. Covering the head was in ancient days a sign of mourn-"Haman hastened to his house, mourning and having his head covered." (Esther vi. 12.) In like manner Demosthenes, when insulted by the populace, went home with his head covered. "And David. . . wept as he went up, and had his head covered: . . . and all the people that was with him covered every man his head, and they went up, weering as they went up." (2d Samuel, xv., 30 Darius too, covered his head on learning the death of his Queen. But among ourselves we find traces of a similar mode of expressing grief at funerals. The mourners had the hood "drawn forward over the head."-(Fosbroke, "Encyc, of Antiq.," p. 951.)—Indeed, the hood drawn forward thus over the head is still part of the mourning habiliment of women when they follow the corpse. And with this it should be borne in mind that, as far back as the time of Chaucer, the most usual color of mourning was black .-Atropos also who held the fatal seissors .which cut short the life of man, was clothed in black. When therefore, the Judge puts on the black cap, it is a very significent as well as solemn procedure. He puts on mourning, for he is about to pronounce the torfeit of a life. And accordingly, the act itself, the putting on of the black cap, is generally understood to be significant. It intimates that the judge is about to pronounce no merely registered or supositious sentence; in the very formula of condemnation he has put himself in mourning for the convicted culprit as for a dead man. The criminal is then left for execution, and unless mercy exert its sovereign prerogative, suffers the sentence of the law. The mourning cap expressively indicates his doom .- Notes and Quer-

A VISIT TO MRS. POLK .- A correspondent of the Concord (N. II) Patriot writing from Nashville, October 8, thus handsomely alludes to Mrs. President Polk: "With Major Eastman, of the Nashville

Union and American, I called yesterday upon Mrs. Polk, who occupies the splendid mansion in Nashville, built by Hon. Felix Grundy, and purchased by President Polk of Judge Grundy's heirs, to whick he retired after leaving the White House, and where, worn out by the cares and anxieties of office, he died some four months after the expiration of his official term. The mansion, surrounded as it is by beautiful grounds, is one of the pleasantest residences in the city, and no one who has had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Polk needs the assurance that it is presided over with an affability and dignity that makes it a centre of attraction. "Mrs. Polk is probably the most generally

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Bonners .- Ladies we are sure, will feel obliged to us for telling them that the last word from Paris about bonnets is important. It indicates change. Bonnets will be worn larger, coming more over the forehead, and the crowns are higher up on the back of the head, and in the show-room of a Madame in the Rue Helder, in Paris, as we learn from the New York Journal of Commerce, are exposed samples of the winter style. These loves of things are thus described:-The first is a drawn bonnet of black velvet, trimmed with a torsade of pansy velvet, fastened at the side by a velvet cock-comb, in the centre of a lace rosette, from which hangs a square barb of velvet, edged with lace. The curtain is of black velvet, and the inside triming consists of a torsade of black ribbon, and on the right hand side a rosette of pansy velvet, with silk ends; the strings are of very wide black ribbon. A second is of violet terry velvet, with a fold in the middle of the front, and around the crown a torsade of velvet and lace; on one side there is a curled feather which terminates in a velvet drooping feather, tipped with black; the curtain of black crape is piped with velvet, and covered by a deep lace. Inside a ruche of black lace over the forehead, and white blonde ruches form the cap. A third model consists of a mixture of velvet and tulle-the front being of tulle on which is laid a boquet of black feathers-and the crown and curtain of black velvet. On one side of the tulle front, there is a bow of double velvet, set in a lace ornament. Branches of mimosa and small ends of feathers, with two blue bows, one surrounded with lace, and the other holding a feather, form the decorations around

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New York, aug 18-2aw3m INVITE CITIZENS AND STRANGERS to call at my Manufactory, No. 141 King street, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND ST. ASAPH STREETS, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND ST. ASALB and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be oct 20 J. E. DOUGLASS. surpassed in my line of business by any other city. I have on hand, and am daily manufacturing, as sawing felloes and all kinds of circular work, and are prepared to saw felloes in the best manner; also, to sell shoprights. Call and see for your as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HARNESS of all kinds, from the fine quilt work down to the dray, cart, and plough Harness; TRUNKS of every kind, fine Sole Leather, Steel Spring Iron Frame Ladies' Trunks and Bonnet Boxes, and all other kinds, down to the common Packing Trunks: Saddles, Bridles, Martingills, Whips, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and Fancy Robes, Driving Gloves,

Thankful for the very liberal patronage hereto-

Washington streets. Open every day from 3 to 5, and from 71 to 9 o'clock, P. M. Annual subscrip-Volumes in Library, about 4,800. President - WM. G. CAZENOVE. -DIRECTORS: I J. Edward Chase,

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my 5-ly JAS. A. CLARIDGE, Librarian.

Sylvester Scott,

GROCERIES, &c.

GRAY, MILLER & CO., CORNER OF KING AND WATER STREETS, ARE NOW RECEIVING THEIR FALL SUPPLIES,

Consisting of every article usually kept in a FIRST CLASS GROCERY HOUSE. We most respectfully ask from merchants visiting our city, an examination of our stock before they make their purchases elsewhere. We do a strictly wholesale trade, and flatter ourselves that our facilities for doing business are equal to any

NEW FAMILY GROCERY STORE, At No. 20, Royal street, apposite the Market House. ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Gold Lockets—Large size, four glasses, and two glasses, with spring—large and small size, with snap.

Cameo, Mosaic, Florentine, Lava, Painted, Gold Stone, Garnett, and Coral Sets of Pins for eash at the very lowest prices, we intend to sell cy Neck Chains, Ckatchaines... S 00 to 18 00 always on hand a full and fresh stock, we flatter gents' Fob and Vest Chains..., 10 00 to 30 00 ourselves to receive a liberal share of patronage of for CASH ONLY at the lowest rates. By keeping ourselves to receive a liberal share of patronage of our fellow citizens. Give us a call. oct 5-co3m SELDNER & STEIN. oet 5-eo3m

J. H. McVEIGH & SON

A RE NOW RECEIVING PER SCHOONERS
Lavina Jane, Rebecca, Ann E. Baker, York
Town, and other vessels, from New York, in part their FALL STOCK OF GROCERIES, &c., all of which they offer to their customers and merchants generally, visiting this market, as cheap as

2 00 to 5 00 can be bought in Baltimore,
J. H. McVEIGH & SON, Prince-street Wharf, Alex'a K NOX & BRO, have just received their FALL SUPPLIES OF GROCERIES, selected

carefully for family use. We name in part— 19 hhds, prime New Orleans Sugar " Porto Rico 20 bbls. Crushed and Cut Loaf Sugar

10 half boxes Loaf 25 bags Old Gov. Java Coffee, (very superior) 10 half chests best Green and Black Tca 10 hhds, prime Porto Rico Molasses cheap 5 tierces Rice 20 boxes wholes & halves Adamantine Candles

\*ROCERY AND COMMISSION BUSINESS. The undersigned will continue the business of the late firm of ROBINSON & PAYNE, at the old stand, where he will always keep on hand a good stock of FAMILY GROCERIES, and FAR-MERS' SUPPLIES, which he will sell at the lowest market rates for eash, or to punctual customers. He is also prepared to receive and sell on Commission, consignments of FLOUR, GRAIN and PRODUCE, of all descriptions. He hopes, tinued patronage of the late firm and of the public generally. [sep 23] GEO. H. ROBINSON. F. A. MARBURY, wholesale dealer in FOR-

20 " Mould Candles.

QUORS, Southeast corner of King and Union sts., offers for sale— Rectified Whiskey; Old Rye do., all grades, some very old and superior French Brandy, various qualities

Domestic Brandy; Apple do.; Cherry do New England Rum; Peach Brandy Holland Gin: Jamaica Rum: pure Spirits Port, Sherry, Madeira, Malaga, and Champagne Wines; Cordials; Ale; Porter, &c., &c.

NOBACCO, SEGARS, SNUFF, &c .- 150 boxes, A pound lump and 5's Tobacco, from medium to prime grades of the most approved brands, comprising a good assortment of best grades of light pressed. American, German, and Havana SEGARS,

large and good assortment.

Lynchburg Smoking Tobacco in bales and pa pers; 50 boxes Garrett & Son's Scotch Snuff; 20 kegs Garrett & Son's loose Snuff; 150 boxes German Pipes—good assortment—just received and for sale by J. H. McVEIGH & SON, ENGLISH PICKLES, SAUCES, &c., &c., Co.

Turtle and Green Turtle Soup, in scaled cans; three or four brands of Bordeaux Olive Oil, finest and Manufacturers, on the most favorable terms. J. E. DOUGLASS. oct 13

500 SACKS FINE AND GROUND ALUM SALT, comprising Ashton's, Marshall's and Ground Alum. 100 tons Soft Blue Windsor Plaster 50 bbls. Eastern Herring, in prime order, received, and for sale by ISAAC PAUL, just received, and for sale by ISAAC PAUL, oct 22 cor. of Queen and Union sts.

500 KEGS Blasting and Sporting "Hazzard" POWDER; 100 half kegs do 50 cases Canister, Sporting and Indian do 250 bags SHOT, assorted Nos. 1000 lbs. BAR LEAD, just received and for e by J. H. McVEIGH & SON,

COFFEE, &c.-10 " Yeast Powders Baker's Chocolate

10 "Ground Pepper, (in tin cans.) for sale [sep 15] JOHN T. YOUNG. [sep 15] MACKEREL—
50 bbls. No. 3 Large Mackerel
50 " " Medium do
100 " " " Small do, in store and for M. ELDRIDGE & CO., Union Wharf. GROCERIES. We are now receiving additional supplies of GROCERIES, making our

55 bexes Tobacco (various brands) part superior 100,000 CIGARS. stock complete, to which we invite the attention of No. 31 North Union-street. 500 LBS. Choice Orange County BUTTER; 500 lbs. Pennsylvania BUCKWHEAT, received this day, and for sale by oct 20 J. E. DOUGLASS.

10 DOZEN JARS BRANDY PEACHES, of ing, in 1, 3, and 1 lb. papers; Sal Soda; Yeast very superior quality, my own putting up, Powders; Corn Brooms; Matches; Clothes Pins; for sale by

J. E. DOUGLASS. ARD! LARD!!-1,000 lbs. LARD, just re-I ceived and for sale by BLACKLOCK, MARSHALL & CO.

40 BOXES, halves and quarters, new crop Layer and Bunch RAISINS, received this day per steamer Mount Vernon, and for sale by oct 18 J. E. DOUGLASS. CIALT .- 500 sacks G. A. Salt, 200 sacks Mar-

Shal's Salt, for sale by oet 14 J. N. HARPER & CO. MIEESE.-Western and English Dairy Cheese, U for sale by GEO. H. ROBINSON.

SALT. - 500 sacks, Ashton's and Deakin's fine Ground Alum, in store and for sale by oct 13 WHEAT & BRO. MOTTON YARN .- Cotton Yarn, by the bale or

beep 13 ALBERT W. GRAY & CO. S and C. SUGAR, for sale by oct 13 J. N. HARPER & CO. TIERCES prime Louisville Leaf LARD, re-

TRUP -25 bbls. Honey and Sugar House Syrup, for sale by J. N. HARPER & CO. BACON.-20,000 pounds Sides, Shoulders and Hams, for sale by J. N. HARPER & CO.

600 SACKS Ashton, Marshall, and Ground Alum Salt, in store and for sale by MARSHALL & CO. WHITE FISH in barrels and half barrels, received and for sale by GARRET HULST.

KEGS ROUGH AND READY TOBACCO,

O choice article, received this day, and for sale by oct 15

J. E. DOUGLASS. CHEESE.—20 boxes English Dairy Cheese 20 boxes New Jersey Cheese, just received, and for sale by [oct 22] KNOX & BRO. 20 BOXES GROUND PEPPER; 10 do. Mussale by [oct 19] G. HULST.

Classification of the policy of the po

They will give personal attention to the sale of FLOUR, GRAIN AND PRODUCE generally.-By strict attention to business, they hope to receive the continued patronage of the late firm and the public. [oct 1-cotf] MARSHALL & CO. MARSHALL & CO., are daily expecting per Schr. Fleetwood, a large and well selected ≥ BOXES Eastern Cutting CHEESE; 15 do. English Dairy Cheese, received and for sale by [oct 18] G. HULST, 147 King st. stock of FAMILY GROCERIES, to which they invite the attention of their customers and the trade generally. oct 3 LIEATHERS .- 800 lbs. new Feathers, for sale by

WHEAT & BEO.

WOOL purchased by RIDGELEY, HAMPTON & CO 10 BARRELS of No. 1 Beef, 10 do. Mess Pork. [oct 15] N. BOUSH.

BLACKLOCK, MARSHALL & CO.,

GROCERIES, &c.

WHOLESALE

Riacklock's Wharf Alexandria, Va.

100 " A B and C Coffee

60 bbls. New Orleans

50 bbls. Golden Syrup COFFEE.

Mocha

150 boxes Mould Candles

100 " Adamantine "
75 " Sperm "
SOAP.

100 boxes Brown Soap
75 " Fancy and Toilet do
25 " Castile do

75 ½ chests Gunpowder Tea

10 " African

100 · Laguyra, Santos, & Ma 50 · Old Government Java

TEAS.

50 " " Imperial " 75 " " Young Hyson and Black do

CANDLES

SEGARS.

Pails; Grain Pepper; Ground do.; Ground Coffees

Mace; Pimento; Cinnamon; Race Ginger, Ground

do.; Cloves; Nutmegs; Shot; Powder; Snuff, in jars, bladders, and bottles; Mustard; Saltpetre;

Sal Bratus; Carb. Soda; Sal Soda; Yeast Pow-

Dairy Salt; Grease; Prunes; Sardines; Fresh Lobster Worcestershire Sauce; Pepper Sauce;

TOBACCO.

LIQUORS.

TOBACCO.
20 boxes "Red Eye" Tobacco
15 " "Rappahannock" "
18 " "Bostonia" "
25 " "People's Favorite"

10 " "Ne Plus Ultra"

10 "Sine Qua Non"

20 " "Planter's Pride" "

75 bbls. Old Rye Whiskey

90 1 bbls. Planter's Pride do

10 bbls, Old Carl Zeigler do

40 " Domestic Bra

Raspberry

10 " Rose " 50 " New England Rum

10 " Old Port " "

10 " Sherry " " 25 " Sweet Malaga "

les too dumerous to mention.

35 bbls Crushed and Pulverized 65 " A. B. C. Coffee

25 bbls superior Golden Syrup

30 " Toilet and Fancy Soap

so " Mould

75 " Rosin Soap

20 " Castile 50 " Pearl Starch

25 " Assorted Candy

40 bbls. Cider Vinegar 10 tierees fresh Rice

75 dozen Painted Pails

20 nests Cedar Ware

45 coils Jute Rope

70 bags Green and light Rio Coffee

25 half chests Gunpowder and Imperial Teas 30 " "Young Hyson and Black do

and 4, 5, and 1 lb. Canisters; New York and Balt-

more Shot; Grain Pepper; Ground do.; Ground Coffee: Pimento; Mace: Nutmegs; Cloves; Cinna-mon; Race Ginger; premium Mustard; Salt Petre;

S C Soda; Sal Eratus, put up in boxes for retail-

Fig Blue; Indigo; Chocolate; Mason's Blacking; Shoe Brushes; Maccaroni; 50 boxes assorted

Tacks; Wrapping Twine; Cotton Yarn; Wrapping Paper; Letter do.; Fine G. A. and Dairy Salt, in

-LIQUORS.

50 1, 1, and 1 casks Cognac Brandy

4 pipes Hennessey 10 " Otard, Dupuy, & Co.

small Sacks, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c.

40 " Medium

15 " XXX

10 " XXXX

50 half bbls, Old

25 bbls. Domestic

20 casks Cherry

15 " Ginger 10 " Raspbery

20 " Strawberry 20 bbls. Rose

2 pipes Holland (pure) 25 bbls New England Rum

10 " Peppermint Cordial

10 " Cisnamon do 15 casks Madeira Wine

25 " Sweet Malaga do 5 " Old Port do

25 baskets Champagne

oet 1--1mt

5 " Pale and Brown Sherry do

which we invite the attention of dealers.

Also, a large stock of fine bottled LIQUORS, to

DISSOLUTION.—The Copartnership bereto-fore existing between the undersigned, is this

day dissolved by mutual consent. Either partner

s authorized to sign the name of the firm in settle

ment of the business.

J. K. MARSHALL, Jr.

ROCERY AND COMMISSION BUSINESS.

J - JAMES K. MARSHALL, Jr., having pur-

chased the interest of H. C. Ward in the stock of Marshall & Ward, will continue the business of the

late firm under the style and firm of MARSHALL & CO., at the old stand No. 11 King street, where

they intend to keep at all times a select stock of FAMILY GROCERIES AND FARMERS SUP-

PLIES, which they will sell at the lowest market

rates for eash or to punctual customers.

HENRY C. WARD.

5 " Old Nectar

75 boxes Adamantine and Sperm Candles

12 " Love. 30 casks Madeira Wine, some superior

75 baskets Champagne, and many other arti-

WASHINGTON & CO.,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

Cordials

10 " Jamaica Spirits

10 " Peppermint,

15 " Cinnamon,

10 " Strawberry,

20 casks Otard, Dopuy & Co. "

bbls. Medium do

100 " Rectified 40 " X 50 " XX

35 " XXX

20 " XXXX

15 " Old Nectar

10 pipes Hennessey

35 " Blackberry

15 " Ginger 10 " Strawberry

5 pipes Holland Gin 40 bbls. Anchor "

Cheese, &c., &c.

50 boxes Loaf

CLOTHING. WILLIAM D. MASSEY. MERCHANT TAILOR AND CLOTHIER, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Grocers, Liquor, and Commission Merchants, K EEPS constantly on hand a full and complete stock of black, blue, olive, brown, claret and other shades of French and English CLOTH'S CASSAMERES AND VESTINGS, which will be HAVE RECEIVED, and are still receiving, per steamer Mount Vernon, and the regular pack-ets from New York and Philadelphia, their PALL made up to order, at the shortest notice, in the less SUPPLY OF GROCERIES, LIQUORS, &c., &c., style, and at as low prices as the same kind of materials can be furnished by any one in the

to which they particularly call the attention of Merchants, Farmers, and others. We name in part: SUGARS.
60 hhds. P. R., N. O., and Museovado Sugars
73 bbls. Crushed and Pulverized market.

In addition to which there is kept constants on hand a large stock of READY MADE CLOTH. ING, embracing all the styles suitable for the season, made up of new and sound materials, and MOLASSES.
40 hhds. P. R. and Sugar House Molasses

the work done in a proper manner.

Having had many years experience in the busy ness, I feel confident of rendering satisfaction in those who may give me their custom, being deter. mined to render to every man an equivalent for his 300 bags Light and Green Rie Coffee 100 " Laguyra, Santos, & Maricaibo Coffee

THE MEMBERS OF THE "POTOMAC, PIEDMONT AND VALLEY ACRICLL TURAL SOCIETY," and others, will please lake notice that the subscriber has just received from New York, and has now opened at his astablish. ment, on Fairfax street, one door South of King, a select assortment of FALL and WINTER GOODS, consisting of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c., and a finer or mere elegant supply cannot be found in any Tailoring establishment in this city. Call and examine for your selves. He has GOODS to suit the most included ble and please the plainest, all of which will be

made up to order, with nestness and dispatch. Gentleman at a distance, by transmitting the measures, together with their height, by mail, ca 1,000,000 Segars, various brands SUNDRIES. 100 boxes Pearl Starch; 125 boxes assorted Candy; 20 tierces Rice; 50 bbls. Vinegar; 75 coils be furnished with CLOTHES, quality considered as cheap as they can be bought of any house Jute Rope; 50 coils Hemp do.; 100 doz. Painted

ders; Matches; Brooms; Indigo; Fig Blue; Black-ing; Chocolate; Maccaroni; Blacking Brushew; Wrapping Twine; Wrapping Paper, Letter do.; 1,000 sacks G. A., Ashton, and Marshall's Salty A LARGE AND FINE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS AT THE NEW STORE. Having removed to my new store, I would take this opportunity of returning my thanks to numerous friend and customers for their liberal patronage heret fore extended, and with a determination to keep a stock of fine goods, inferior to none in this or any other market, I hope by strict attention to merit a

continuance of the same.

I would call attention to my time assortment of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, which I have selected with great care to suit the taste and fancy of any who may want a number one article In addition to my fine stock of Cloths, Cassi-meres and Vestings, of every shade. I would call attention to a stock of FURNISHING GOODS, such as fine DRESS and UNDERSHIRTS, NECK TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, SOCKS &c., in fact, I am prepared to fit out a Gentleman

HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c.

FURS! FURS!! FURS!!!—Just received from New York, by steamer Mount Vernon, a choice assortment of LADIES' FURS, such as Sable, Mink, Martin, Fitch, &c. All will be sold low for cash. The Ladies will please call and examine, oct 26 J. T. EVANS.

special order-together with which may be found No. 1 article of SILK AND CASSIMERE

HATS, gotten up with a strict observance to tash-ion and good taste. Also, Childrens FANCY HATS AND CAPS, all of which will be sold cheap for eash. Extensive stock-best terms-lowest price, at Phoenix Hall Hat and Cap Store. sep 22

Grocery, Liquor, and Commission Merchants, No. 11 North Union Street, which is now full and complete, and respectful invite an examination, with the assurance that they will find everything that is new and desirable line, at prices that cannot fail to give sale A RE now receiving, per Steamship "Mount Vernon," and Schrs. — from Boston, New faction. [sep 21] JOHN T. EVANS York, and Philadelphia, their FALL STOCK of GROCERIES AND LIQUORS, to which they ment of BONNETS, RIBBONS, FLOWERS

55 bags Maracaibo, Laguyra, Santos, and O. G. Java and Mocha Coffee and durability, cannot be surpassed.

Particular attention is called to their new style DRESS HAT, for young men. SOFT HATS

> SEEDS! SEEDS!! SEEDS!!!-200 " Timothy do 300 " Orchard Grass Seed 50 " Herds Grass Seed, of superior quaity, selected with great care, expressly for our re-

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, SEEDS, &c.

of the farmers of Virginia and Maryland, whosorders will be promptly and carefully executed.

ADDISON, WALLACE & CO., oct 4 Agricultural and Seed Store, Union st GRASS SEEDS.—Just received, a supply of freeh Kentucky Blue Grass; Orchard Grass

ORCHARD GRASS SEED.—Just received, 400 bushels of prime ORCHARD GRASS SEED, for sale by DRAYTON G. MEADE.

BOOTS AND SHOES. TIME CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED. The es

he intends to conduct the BOOT AND Shot BUSINESS, in all its branches, and hopes from the care and attention to the work turned out; establishment, to receive as heretofore a full of the public patronage. A call is solicited 2: 74 King-street.

LUMBER, LATHS, LIME, &c.

LUMBER, COAL, AND WOOD YARD - (a ser of Union and Queen Streets, North - Whote I am prepared to furnish every description of LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, LIME, Acc. Also, Oak and Pine WOOD, Red and White A. and Cumberland COAL, which I am selling be a feet

qualities, for family use—CUMBERLAND COAL, from the Frostburg Mines, by the carge, var or single ton. Factories furnished with the run of mine, at lowest rates. Apply to nov 8—tf D. B. SMITH, Queen at Whach

VERY PINE IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC SEGARS, CHEWING TOBACCO. &c. .... subscriber has lately received a large additi-his stock, and is quite confident that he can p the taste of almost any one wanting articles in

line. He names in part, some very fine HAVAVA SEGARS, out of the same lot that President Buch anan smokes; very superior CHE WING TORAC CO, of various brands; genuine Turkish NUCK ING TOBACCO; PIPES and STEMS, in great variety, &c. For sale, wholesale and retail.
CHARLES P. SHAW. ian 24-tf N. E. cor. of King & Fairfux etc

will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland, Richmond, and Northemberland Counties. Post Office, Rice's Store, Westmoreland County, Vs.

ble and please the plainest, all of which will to this city.

All persons wishing to furnish their own gos

will have particular attention paid to them. A ways thankful for favors, past, present, and ome, he shall with the aid of a generous and con fiding public, continue to PLAP HIS WINGS.
WILLIAM E. ATWELL

wardrobe in the best style, at No. 95 Phoenix Hall All work warranted to fit and made in the best manner. [oet 27] WM. ARNOLD.

oet 26 FALL STOCK OF HATS AND CAPS. JOHN P ARNOLD has just received a large assortment of HATS AND CAPS adapted to meet the wants of a choice custom.

Gentlemen are solicited to examine a recent in portation of FRENCH FELT HATS, selected by

HATS, CAPS, &c.

I DESIRE to call the attention of the citizens of Alexandrin, and persons in the country visiting this market, to my new stock of HATS and CAPS, for the FALL and WINTER TRADE.

invite the attention of Farmers and Merchants generally. 10 hhds. & bbls. P. R., N. O. & Muscovado Sugars cannot be surpassed in any market. MILLINERY GOODS for sale, wholesale and retail. BONNETS made to order, repaired, &c., retail. BONNETS made to order, repaired, &c., at the shortest possible notice.

sep 21

JOHN T. EVANS.

H ATS! HATS!!—GREENWOOD & CO. have the sing received their FALL SUPPLY OF GOODS, are now prepared to furnish their enstowers, and the public generally, with the LATEST STYLES of HATS and CAPS, which, for treatness 45 hhds & bbls P. R., N. O. & Sugar House Molasses

every description. Call and examine them, at GREENWOOD & CO.S. sep 9-1y 105 King-st., opp. Marshall House

SUNDRIES.—Snuff, in Bladders, Jars and Bot-tles: Powder F. FF. FFF, in 1, 1, and whole kegs,

Herds Grass or Red Top: Italian Eye Grass Sweet scented Vernal Grass; Timothy, &c., ( sale by DRAYTON G. MEADE. No. 12, Fairfax street

SEED WHEAT, -A very superior lot of North Carolina Blue Stem White WHEAT, for sale by

DRAYTON G. MEADE. No. 12, Fairlax street

scriber having tried the credit system, an found that it would not pay, has concluded to adopthe CASH principle. In future, and from the date, be will continue to do business upon this principle. In bidding adicu to the old system, be would return his thanks to his customers for par favors, and hopes by strict attention, and such in Invors, and hopes by strict attention, and seem to ducements as he may offer, to continue it moler the new. [jan l-tf] JOHN L. SMITH.

R. V. CROSS, having purchased the entire stock nonneces to his friends and the public generally that the investment of the light and the public generally that

cash, or on reasonable terms to good customers.

aug 3-tf U. W. BARKER. COAL.—I have on hand and am constantly receiving, ANTHRACITE COAL, of the less

TOHN MURPHY, ATTORNEY AT LAW.